

**March 5, 2001**

**State of Montana  
Mine Waste Cleanup Bureau  
Invitation to Bid  
Project Number MT DEQ-MWCB 401018  
To Be Opened: March 15, 2001  
For Remedial Action, Subarea 1 – Reaches B & C, Streamside Tailings Operable Unit, 2001  
Remedial Action Contract, Silver Bow County, Montana**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**

**TO ALL VENDORS:**

**BID ITEM CLARIFICATION**

The following changes have been made to the Construction Specifications and Bidding Documents:

1. Bid Items 14 and 15 quantities have changed.

In the Bid Form in Section II of the Bidding Documents, the estimated quantity for both Bid Items 14 and 15 shall be 372,300 cubic yards. **BIDDERS MUST USE THE ENCLOSED SALMON COLORED BID FORM.**

In Section III, 7(O), at the top of page 29 of 88 of the Special Provisions, change the estimated quantity for "Volume of Waste" from 351,000 bank cubic yards to 372,300 bank cubic yards.

In Table III-7, page 51 of 88 of the Special Provisions, change the estimated quantity for "Volume of Waste to Be Loaded" under the heading "Load Waste" from 363,300 cy to 372,300 cy.

In Table III-7, page 51 of 88 of the Special Provisions, change the estimated quantity for "Place Waste" under the heading "Place and Compact Waste at Cell B2-12" from 305,300 cy to 314,300 cy.

2. Tailings/impacted soils excavation and hauling associated with the surface water diversion system is part of the work for Bid Item 10, Tailings/Impacted Soils Excavation.

In Section III, 7(L)(2), page 19 of 88 of the Special Provisions, add the following sentences to the end of the first paragraph: "Excavation and hauling of non-impacted material to loading areas shall be part of this work item. Tailings/impacted soils shall be removed and hauled in accordance with Special Provisions Section 7(J)."

In Section III, 20(O), page 67 of 88 of the Special Provisions, add the following sentences to the end of the first paragraph (i.e. General): "Excavation and hauling of non-impacted material to loading areas shall be part of this work item. Tailings/impacted soils shall be removed and hauled as part of Bid Item 10, Tailings/Impacted Soils Excavation."

3. Clearing and grubbing material in the floodplain is part of Bid Item 10, Tailings/Impacted Soils Excavation.

In Section III, 7(J)(4), page 17 of 88 of the Special Provisions, add the following sentences to the end of the first paragraph: "The floodplain will be staked for tailings/impacted soils excavation prior to any disturbance and all material excavated down to the base of tailings shall be included as tailings/impacted soil. Removal and loading of all woody vegetation from the floodplain shall also be part of this work, even though woody vegetation quantities will not be measured. Bidders shall include costs for removing and loading woody vegetation in the unit cost for Tailings/Impacted Soils, Bid Item 10."

In Section III, 20(M), page 66 of 88 of the Special Provisions, add the following to the "Work Included" section:

% Removal of cleared and grubbed materials, including woody vegetation, and hauling to loading areas.

4. For preparation of non-impacted material temporary and permanent stockpile areas outside of the floodplain, the top six (6) inches of topsoil shall be stripped and temporarily stockpiled for replacement on either disturbed areas or new non-impacted material stockpiles. Cleared and grubbed woody vegetation from outside the floodplain shall be removed, transported to loading areas, loaded, unloaded and placed in Cell B2-12 for this portion of the work.

In Section III, 7(U)(2), page 42 of 88 of the Special Provisions, modify the second sentence of the second paragraph to read: "Prior to use, these areas shall be cleared and grubbed and woody vegetation materials transported to a loading area, loaded, unloaded and placed at Cell B2-12 at the Opportunity Ponds."

In Section III, 7(U)(3), pages 42 and 43 of 88 of the Special Provisions, modify the last sentence of the paragraph to read: "Cleared and grubbed woody vegetation materials shall be hauled to a railroad loading area, loaded, unloaded and placed at Cell B2-12 at the Opportunity Ponds."

5. There are seven railroad materials remediation sediment basins.

In Section III, 20(AI), page 79 of 88 of the Special Provisions, revise the first paragraph to read:

"General: This item includes work to construct seven (7) permanent sediment basins for the detention of sediment from railroad waste embankments outside of the Operable Unit as shown on the Drawings. One of the basins included in this work is the reconstruction of a portion of the runoff control basin for the Town Pump parking lot. Fencing of the sediment basins is covered under Bid Item 43, Combination Fence."

A revised Bid Form is attached

Any questions should be directed to Joel Chavez, (406) 444-5440.

Sincerely,

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